Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Tuesday 22 Sep 2020 until 23:59 on Wednesday 23 Sep 2020

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 22 Sep 2020 at 02:42

Confidence: High confidence for change in the weather over the next few days to a colder showery northerly. Medium confidence for timing of rainfall on Tuesday.

Headline for Tuesday 22 Sep 2020: A mostly cloudy and windy day but some bright spells. Band of rain arriving early evening.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 22 Sep 2020

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Medium Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Dull	Dull	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Heavy Rain	Light rain
Precipitation probability					
<05%	30%	30%	30%	70%	60%

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Weather: A mainly dry start although areas of thicker cloud and fog may give some drizzly outbreaks in the morning. Some brighter periods are likely to develop in the afternoon. Cloud is likely to shroud the mountain tops for much of the day with some light rain possible. A more organised band of rain is expected in the evening. The rain might be quite heavy for a short time. Becoming clearer later in the evening and feeling a lot colder.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: cloud bases will be around 7-800m with some breaks in the cloud so a 60-70% chance.

Visibility: Visibility will generally be moderate or good in the morning out with any mist and fog but becoming moderate or poor later as drizzle and light rain affect the area. Very poor in any fog.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	28/36 SW	26/35 SW	26/38 SW	26/38 SW	25/37 SW	25/37 NW	24/36 NW
300	12/21 SW	14/24 SW	16/29 SW	16/29 SW	14/27 SW	16/28 NW	14/26 NW
Valley	8/19 S	10/22 SW	14/29 SW	14/28 SW	12/26 SW	14/27 NW	12/25 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	8/4	8/4	10/6	11/7	11/7	8/3	5/0
300	10/8	11/8	13/10	14/11	13/10	10/7	8/4
Valley	11/10	12/10	14/12	15/13	14/12	11/8	9/6
Freezing Level*	2900m	2800m	2700m	2200m	2700m	2200m	1300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Gale force gusts are possible on the tops particularly from late morning. A marked change to a colder feel in the evening and a noticeable wind chill overnight.

Forecast for Wednesday 23 Sep 2020

Weather: Perhaps some early morning mist and fog but this will clear leaving a mainly dry day with long sunny intervals. Feeling fresher than previous days.

Maximum wind: Northwesterly 20-25mph but easing to 10mph during the morning.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 90% chance of clear tops, perhaps broken cloud around the mountain tops at dawn however this will lift during the morning.

Visibility: Mainly good or very good with excellent views possible.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 6 rising to 12 Celsius.
At 700m: Plus 5 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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